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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Keizo AKUTAGAWA, *et al.*

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Examiner: Peter C. ENGLISH

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For: VEHICLE CONTROL METHOD AND VEHICLE CONTROL APPARATUS

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of **one (1) month**, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of **February 25, 2004** to **June 25, 2004**.

A check for the statutory fee of \$110.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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